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For: VIDEO GAME APPARATUS AND INFORMATION STORAGE MEDIUM FOR  
VIDEO GAME

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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In order to place the above-identified application in better condition for  
examination, please amend the application as follows: